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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re PATENT APPLICATION OF

Applicants : Mihael POLYMERPOULOUS, et al.

Appln. No. : 09/446.628

Filed : June 25, 1998

For : CLONING OF A GENE FOR  
PARKINSON'S DISEASE

Atty. Dkt. : 31978-164334 (formerly 31978-141234)

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**RENEWED  
PETITION UNDER  
37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b)  
AND 37 C.F.R. §  
1.137(e)(1)**

**September 19, 2001**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This submission is in response to the Decision on Renewed Petition Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b) mailed July 11, 2001.

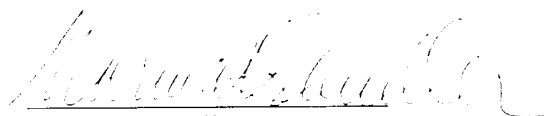
**REQUEST FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME**

This paper is filed in response to the Decision of September 11, 2001. Applicants respectfully request a one month extension of time. A check in the amount of \$110.00 is enclosed. Should the fee be missing or should any additional fee be due, please charge any fee deficiency or credit to any overpayment to deposit account number 22-0261.

**REMARKS**

The previous Renewed Petition Under 37 CFR § 1.137 (b), filed October 12, 2000, was considered in the September 11, 2001 Decision and dismissed without prejudice. In view of the Examiner's request concerning this Renewed Petition Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b), our office is submitting herewith a newly signed declaration for Dr. Nussbaum.

Respectfully submitted,



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